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SUBJECT: U.S.-U.S.S.R. ENVIRONMENT AGREEMENT, PROJECT
02.04-15 (RECREATION ZONES IN URBAN AND NEAR URBAN AREAS)

1. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOLLOWING LETTER TO VLADIMIR
NOVIKOV OF GOSGRAZHDANSTROY (WITH COPY TO KAZAKOV OF HYDRO-
MET) FOR TRANSMITTAL TO YURI PLOTNIKOV, DEPUTY DIRECTOR,
FOREIGN RELATIONS DEPARTMENT, GOSGRAZHDANSTROY.

2. "DEAR MR. PLOTNIKOV: IN CONFORMITY WITH THE MEMORANDUM
OF WORK FOR 1977 UNDER THE U.S.-U.S.S.R. ENVIRONMENTAL
AGREEMENT, I AM ENCLOSING FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION A SUGGESTED
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ITINERARY FOR THE SOVIET PROJECT 02.04-15 DELEGATION'S VISIT
TO THE U.S. WE BELIEVE IT OFFERS A GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO TOUR
URBAN AREAS WITH DIFFERENT APPROACHES TO SERVING URBAN PARK
AND RECREATION NEEDS. BECAUSE OF THE NECESSITY OF MAKING
DETAILED TRAVEL, PROGRAM AND TOUR ARRANGEMENTS IN ADVANCE,
WE SHOULD APPRECIATE YOUR AGREEMENT AT YOUR EARLIEST CON-
VENIENCE. A RESPONSE BEFORE THE END OF THE THIRD WEEK OF

JANUARY 1977 WOULD BE EXTREMELY HELPFUL IN ASSURING A SATISFACTORY TRIP.

"WE RECOMMEND THAT THE SOVIET DELEGATION VISIT THE U.S. IN LATE APRIL 1977 AND THAT THE U.S. DELEGATION VISIT THE

U.S.S.R. DURING LATE MAY OR EARLY JUNE.

"WE SHOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE DOCUMENTS ON AS MANY OF THE FOLLOWING TOPICS AS POSSIBLE AT LEAST SIX WEEKS BEFORE YOUR DELEGATION'S DEPARTURE FROM THE U.S.S.R. SO THAT WE CAN TRANSLATE AND DISCUSS THEM WITH YOU. WE HAVE LISTED THE TOPICS IN DESCENDING ORDER ACCORDING TO OUR PERCEIVED NEEDS AND SHOULD APPRECIATE YOUR SENDING THE DOCUMENTS TO ME VIA THE U.S. EMBASSY IN MOSCOW AS THAT EXPEDITES OUR RECEIPT OF THEM. THE TOPICS ARE: 1) THE USE OF OPEN-SPACE TO HELP SHAPE URBAN AREAS AND TO CONTROL SPRAWL; 2) THE RELATIONSHIP OF RECREATION TO FORMS OF TRANSPORTATION OTHER THAN THE INDIVIDUAL AUTOMOBILE; 3) THE METHODS FOR DETERMINING PARK AND RECREATION DEMANDS; 4) STANDARDS DEVELOPED FOR USE IN SOVIET PARK AND OPEN-SPACE PLANNING; AND 5) MASTER PLANS FOR A LARGE URBAN-ORIENTED PARK AREA.

"WE ARE TRANSMITTING UNDER SEPARATE COVER THREE DOCUMENTS THAT WE HOPE WILL BE OF INTEREST TO YOU. WE SHOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING SUGGESTIONS ON THE TYPE OF INFORMATION YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE. SINCERELY YOURS, JAMES W. COOK, ASSISTANT CHIEF, COOPERATIVE SERVICES, BUREAU OF RECREATION
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ATION, DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR."

PROPOSED ITINERARY:

SUNDAY - ARRIVE NEW YORK CITY - TRAVEL TO WASHINGTON, D.C.;

MONDAY - GENERAL MEETING;

TUESDAY - TOUR MARYLAND NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION'S PARKS IN MONTGOMERY;

WEDNESDAY - DEPART TO MINNEAPOLIS AND TOUR CITY FACILITIES IN THE AFTERNOON;

THURSDAY - TOUR CITY - COUNTY FACILITIES;

FRIDAY - DEPART TO CHICAGO AND TOUR CITY - COUNTY FACILITIES;

SATURDAY - TOUR COOK COUNTY FOREST PRESERVE FACILITIES;

SUNDAY - FREE TIME - DEPART TO DETROIT LATE AFTERNOON;

MONDAY - TOUR HURON-CLINTON METROPOLITAN PARK AUTHORITY
FACILITIES (PARK AUTHORITY HAS HOLDINGS IN A 5-COUNTY
AREA NEAR DETROIT);

TUESDAY - DEPART TO WASHINGTON, D.C. - GENERAL MEETING IN
THE AFTERNOON;

WEDNESDAY - TOUR NATIONAL CAPITAL PARKS IN AND NEAR
WASHINGTON, D.C.;

THURSDAY - DEPART NEW YORK CITY AND TOUR CITY FACILITIES
IN THE AFTERNOON;

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FRIDAY - TOUR GATEWAY NATIONAL RECREATION AREAS AND
VICINITY;

SATURDAY - FREE DAY;

SUNDAY - DEPART FOR MOSCOW.
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